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THE WORLD OF SOCIETY

Miss Caffery and Miss Ward Make Their Coming-Out Bows.

Senator Depew's Capital Debut as Host-Dinners and Other Functions-Personal Notes.

Miss Alice Ward was introduced yester day at a tea given by her grandmother, Mrs. John S. Ward, at which a large con tingent of fashionable society was present. The debutante was in white lace and crepe and carried pink roses. The house was profusely adorned with flowers, and especially were noticeable the number and beauty of the bouquets sent the debutante. Assisting in the reception were Mrs. Richard Mulligan and Mrs. George Corning Fraser, who presided in the tea room; Miss Audrey Pauncefote, Miss Alice Hay, Miss Glover, Miss Rose Douglas Wallach, Miss Daisy Wilson, Miss Hunt of Paris, Miss Helen Kountze of New York and Miss Patten. with Mrs. Chandler Parsons Anderson of New York, sister of the debutante.

Another charming debutante yesterday

New York, sister of the debutante.

Another charming debutante yesterday was Miss Bertha Caffery, second daughter of the Louisiana senator and Mrs. Caffery. The coming-out party was largely attended and the bud looked her prettiest in a dress of white crepe de chine, with her fragrant bouquet of plak roses and mignonette. The violet and rose bouquets sent the young lady made a beautiful collection. Mrs. Goodloe, Mrs. John Alden Goldsborough. Miss Caffery, Miss Anita Evans and Miss Violet Gratz of Philadelphia assisted in entertaining the large company present. Miss Kate Carmody and Mr. Newton J. Hough were married at St. Joseph's Church late yesterday afternoon. Rev. Father Gavan officiated. Miss Margaret Carmody was maid of honor and Mr. Robert B. Patten best man. The bride wore a traveling dress of blue cloth, with hat to match. The ushers were Mr. Thomas De Moli, Mr. William M. Kershaw and Mr. Francis S. Carmody, brother of the bride. The ceremony was followed by a reception for the bridal party and family at the residence of the bride sparents. Mr. and Mrs. Samuel C. Carmody, 239 1st street northeast, and later Mr. and Mrs. Hough left for a wedding trip to New York.

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from Princeton and is now established in her own house, on 15th street near I street. Miss Hodges of 1527 Q street northwest is improving rapidly from her recent at-tack of typhoid fever. The next of the popular Thursday even-

ing dances to be given at Confederate Vet-erans' Hall by Messrs. Brawner, Boss, Bright, Mackey and Kilby, will be held tomorrow evening. An open meeting of the Manor House Chapter, D. A. R., will be held at the Riggs House, Saturday, December 16, at 8 p.m. Prof. Charles P. Neill of the Catholic Uni-versity will deliver a lecture on "Some Aspects of the American Revolution." There will also be music and other enter-taining features in the program.

Mrs. F. W. Moore and Mrs. John H. Pratt are at Old Point for a week. Senator Chauncey M. Depew will give a

reception this afternoon to meet the New York congressional delegation, from 5 to 7, at Corporan house, Lafayette square. One of the prettiest weddings of the season occurred Tuesday afternoon at St. Philip's Church, Laurel, Md. The contracting parties were Miss Anna M. Bentley of Laurel and Mr. Frederick Battle of North Carolina. The church was prettily decorated in holly and cédar, and the electric lights were shaded with red and tries of the second contraction. in holly and cédar, and the electric lights were shaded with red and trimmed with sprays of holly. The bride was preceded by four flower girls, Misses Alice Chaney, Laura Slingerlang, Eugenia and Mamie Carr. The bridesmaids were Misses Laura Bentley, sister of the bride; Bessie Battle and Snowden Carr. The ushers were Messrs, Robert Carr of Durham, N.C.; Lee Battle, Willmington, N. C.; Ray Martin, Laurel, Md., Frank Verney, Baltimore, Md., and E. M. Jeffries, Washington, D. C. The wedding was largely attended by

The wedding was largely attended by friends and relatives from out of town. A day evening at Hickory Hill, the home of the bride.

Owing to the meeting of the G. D. M. A. Mrs. L. O. Talbott will not be at home Thursday.

Mrs. S. Oppenheimer of 604 Q street will e at home to her friends Fridays. Mrs. John Sidney Webb will be at hom Wednesdays after the 1st of January. Mrs. Sarah C. Turnbull, widow of Col. Thos. R. Turnbull, has returned from the north, where she has been for three

A birthday social was given last evening at the home of Mr. Isaac Ridgeway, No. 762 Sheridan street, to Miss Eva Ridgeway, on her lifteenth birthday. Miss Eva was the recipient of several handsome presents. Later in the evening refreshments were served. Those present were: Mr. Albert, Mr. Franklin Roy Yost, Mr. Hope, James Digges, J. E. Brown, Henry Schrader, Chas. Schrader, Rodney Spiker, Lirney Dowling, Harry Koontz, W. H. Bowman, W. L. Davis, Mr. Arthur Ridgeway, Miss Katle Edwards, Miss Bessie Dowling, Miss Maggie Biggs, Miss Mamie Allen and Miss Ella Ridgeway.

The Morton Cadets gave the fifth of their birthday s

The Morton Cadets gave the fifth of their weekly dances Monday evening in the ar-mory rooms. A short program was ren-dered and light refreshments were served. dered and light refreshments were served. There will be no more dances until after the holidays, when an announcement will be made. Those present were Miss Luckett, the Misses Butt, Miss Philips, Miss Arth, Miss Beuchert, Miss Carroway and Captain Chisholm, Messrs, Gasch, Curran, Beuchert, Kettler, Harper, Dutton, Gaddis and J. A. Chisholm. The dances this season are under the efficient management of Messrs, J. A. Chisholm, Geo. H. Beuchert and Guy Elchelberger.

Judge John McClure and Mrs. McClure of

Judge John McClure and Mrs. McClure of Little Rock, Ark., are guests of General and Mrs. Rice at the Olympia. Judge Mc-Clure is here attending the meeting of the republican committee as proxy of Powell Clayton, ambassador to Mexico. Mrs. Perry S. Heath entertained at a

anis. Ferry S. Reath entertained at a pretty luncheon today. The table was decorated with pink roses, and the guests were Mrs. Hansbrough, Mrs. Dawes, Mrs. Butler, Mrs. Macfariand, Mrs. Rudolph Kauffmann, Mrs. George B. Williams, Mrs. Jules Guthridge, Mrs. B. H. Warner, Mrs. Norton, Mrs. W. E. Curtis and Mrs. J. De Witt Arnold. Mrs. Fairbanks, wife of Senator Fair-

banks, will not receive on Thursdays until after the holidays. Mrs. William Oscar Roome, jr., will not be at home tomorrow, but will receive in-formally Thursdays after this week at 1324

A pleasant social incident of last night A pleasant social incident of last night was the hop given at Confederate Veterans' Hall, which brought together a large company of the younger members of society, chaperoned by Mrs. J. Wesley Bovee, Mrs. F. B. Bishop and Mrs. H. S. Tyssowski. The committee in charge of the dancing was composed of Dr. Ambier A. Marsteller, Mr. W. Parker Reinohl, Mr. Edwin B. H. Towers and Mr. W. Wilbur Keblinger.

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Monday evening, December 11, Mr. F. Hurley and Miss Elizabeth Pixton, both of Washington, were married in Alexandria by the Rev. J. Cameron. The bride wore a tailor-made suit of bine cloth, with toque to match. The happy couple will be pleased to see their friends at 1110 15th street.

The friends of Mrs. Garrick Mallery will be glad to learn that she is gradually re-covering from her illness. For more than a century the old Newman

For more than a century the old Newman residence, on I street southeast, has been the place of assembly for wedding parties of many generations. Last evening the antique parior was the scene of the marriage of Miss Blanch Bishop and Mr. Mason Putnam of Warrenton. Rev. Dr. Williams of the Baptist Metropolitan Church performed the ceremony. The bride wore white *Ilk, trimmed with point lace. Mr. and Mrs. Putnam will travel south for a brief period, after which they will reside in Warrenton, Va.

Stole a Statesman's Coat. Harry Collins was today convicted before Judge Scott of the larceny of a coat, valued at \$25. from Representative John J. Fitz-gerald of Boston, at the Capitol Thursday last. In default of payment of a fine of \$30 Collins was committed for ninety days. The coat was recovered.

MORTUARY STATISTICS.

Report Made by Health Office for the Past Week.

There were 114 deaths in the District dur-ing the past week, of which 58 were of whites and 56 colored. The death rate for each thousand of all the population was 20.58; that for the whites being 15.20 and for the colored 32.70. There was an increase in mortality from lung diseases, as compared with the last report, from 27 to 31, of which 11 were from pneumonia. From affections of the brain there were 11 deaths, as against 14 in the previous week. Of conagious and infectious diseases there were fatal cases of diphtheria, 6 of typhoid

5 fatal cases of diphtheria, 6 of typhold fever and 1 each of whooping cough and scarlet fever.

At the close of last report there were 83 cases of diphtheria in quarantine. During the week 18 new cases occurred and 31 were discharged, leaving 70 in isolation in 55 premises.

Of s arlet fever there were 72 cases under observation the close of last report. During the week 25 new cases developed and 24 were discharged, leaving 74 cases with warning cards in 54 premises.

There were 7 cases of smallpox in hospital at the close of last report. During the week 2 new cases were placed in isolation and 2 were discharged, leaving 7 cases still under treatment in hospital.

The mean weather conditions for the week were: Temperature of the atmosphere, 30 degrees; barometer, 30.02, and relative humidity, 75. The rainfall was 0.08, with westerly winds averaging 7 miles per hour. The thermometer registered 00 degrees on the 3d, falling to 21 degrees on the 7th.

FIFTH ANNIVERSARY.

Kismet Council of Royal Arcanum Holds a Celebration.

The fifth anniversary of the organization of Kismet Council, Royal Arcanum, was celebrated Monday evening at Masoni Hall, Pennsylvania avenue southeast. Past Grand Regent Zappone explained the aims and objects of the order, and called attention to the good record of Kismet Council. He invited the ladies, who formed twothirds of the audience, to aid in the good

work of increasing the membership. Grand Secretary Ben. White read a letter from Farragut Council, presenting to Mr. Zappone, representative to the Supreme Council, the gavel used by Admiral Win-field Scott Schley while regent of Farragut

Council, and the gavel was then presented, which was received with thanks.

A literary and musical entertainment followed, the numbers of which were all well rendered and received hearty applause. Refreshments followed. The celebration concluded with a cake walk and dancing.

Sudden Death of Mrs. Devine.

ing the sudden death in New York of Mrs.

eceived in this city this morning anne

A long-distance telephone message was

Devine, wife of Mr. Andrew Devine, now vice president of the Columbia Phonograph Company, and for a number of years official reporter of debates in the House of Representatives. Mrs. Devine had a host of friends in this city, who will receive the news of her sudden demise with sorrow.

"Wild fire" isn't more dangerous to life than a old. To subdue it quickly use Jayne's Expectorant, Incipient Consumption can be cured with JAYNE'S EXPECTORANT.

DORSEY—COLE. On Thursday, December 7, 1899, at Christ Episcopal Church, Whichester, Va., by the Rev. Nelso P. Dann, MARY DALE BERNARD DORSEY of Clarke county, Va., and Dr. G. R. LEE COLE of Washington, D. C.

DIED. ADAMS. Entered into rest Tuesday. December 12, 1899, IOLA B., darling daughter of Isabella and Wesley Adams. Rest, sweet angel Iols, rest, Thou art gone with the angels to dwell; We know you are happier there, For Into that beautiful country There cometh no sorrow.

ineral services at Shiloh Baptist Church, L street between 16th and 17th streets northwest, Thursday, December 14, at 3 o'clock p.m. Relatives and friends respectfully invited to

BERRY. On Tuesday, December 12, 1899, at 6 o'clock p.m., MARY SUMERVILLE, beloved wife of J. Harper Berry. Funeral private. Interment at Woodville, Md.

BUTLER. On Tuesday, December 12, 1899, of phthisis, FANNE BLANCHE BUTLER, daugh-ter of George P, Butler, station keeper of the second precinct. Funeral Thursday, December 14, at 2 o'clock, from 104 Sth street northeast, Interment at Rock Creek cemetery, Friends invited, (Saglany, Mich., papers please copy.) CARDELLA. On Wednesday, December 13, 1899, at 3:39 a.m., MARGARET, widow of the late R. Frank Cardella.
 Funeral from her late residence, 725½ 6th street northwest, Friends invited to attend. Interment at Arlington. (St. Louis papers please copy.) 2*

CASE. In Baltimore, Monday, December 11, 1899, ADA BEATRICE, daughter of Frances H. and

CHEYNEY. At his residence, 3000 Q street north-west, on Monday, December 11, 1839, RUFUS T. CHEYNEY. Funeral from Christ Church, Georgetown, D. C., Thursday, December 14, at 9:30 o'clock, Friends and relatives invited to attend.

DEVINE. Suddenly, on Tuesday, December 12, 1899, at her residence in New York city, Mrs. ANDREW DEVINE, wife of Andrew Devine, for-merly official reporter of debates, House of Rep-resentatives. KENGLA. At Tenleytown, D. C., Tuesday, December 12, 1899, at 1 o'clock a.m., HERNARD L., beloved and youngest son of Charles E. and Charlotte C. Kengla, aged eighteen months. Funeral from the parents' residence Thursday morning, December 14, at 10 o'clock. Relatives and friends respectfully invited.

MURPHY. On Tuesday, December 12, 1899, CHARLES SMITH MURPHY, aged thirty-four years and nine months.

Funeral from 802 1st street northwest, Washington, D. C., Thursday, December 14, at 3 o clock p.m. Interment at Albany, N. Y., (Albany, N. Y., papers please copy).

REILEY. At Garfield Hospital, on Wednesday, De-cember 13, 1899, at 4 o'clock a.m., MARION REILEY, aged twenty-two years. Notice of funeral hereafter.

ROUT. Suddenly, on Wednesday, December 13, 1899, of apoplexy, MARY, beloved wife of Thomas Rout. Notice of funeral hereafter.

WILSON. Departed this life December 12, 1899, at 6 p.m., WILLIAM WILSON, beloved father of Mary E. Wilson.

"I long for bousehold voices gone, For vanished smiles I long;
But God hath led His dear ones on, And He can do no wrong." And He can do no wrong.

meral Saturday. December 16, at 1 p.m., from
Rehoboth Baptist Church, 1st street between
N and O streets southwest. Friends and refuters respectfully laylied. (Korfolk, Va., and
Zanesville, Ohio, papers please copy.)

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HANDEBEAU. In loving remembrance of ELLEN HANDEBEAU, who died one year ago today, December 12, 1898. Gone, but not forgotten. BY HER FRIEND, A. McMAHON. LOCRAFT. In loving remembrance of our dear mother, DELIA LOCRAFT, who died one year ago today, December 13, 4898.

May she rest in peace.
BY HER CHILDREN,

THOMAS. In loving remembrance of our dear mother and wife, ISABELLA THOMAS, who died one year ago today-December 13, 1898. You are not forgotten, mamma, dear, Ner ever will you be; As long as life and memory last We will remember thee.

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